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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

~~Re~~ Application of

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Reissue of U.S. Patent No. 5,840,531

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Examiner:

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For: **INGAP PROTEIN INVOLVED IN PANCREATIC ISLET NEOGENESIS**

STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.E.R. §3.73

The Honorable Assistant Commissioner
For Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Eastern Virginia Medical School of the Medical College of Hampton Roads and McGill University are the owners of undivided interests in the patent named above by virtue of assignments recorded at

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Reel 8434, frame 0585

respectively.

The undersigned are authorized to act on behalf of the respective assignees.

Signature

Date

Name:

Title:

**Eastern Virginia Medical School of the
Medical College of Hampton Roads**

Signature

Date _____

Name:

Title: Assoc. Director, STT
McGill University



ASSENT BY ASSIGNEE FOR FILING OF REISSUE APPLICATION

This is part of the application for a reissue patent filed herewith based on the original patent identified as follows:

Name of Patentee: McGill University

Patent Number: 5,840,531

Date Patent Issued: 11/24/1998

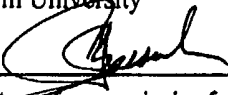
Title of Invention: INGAP PROTEIN INVOLVED IN PANCREATIC ISLET NEOGENESIS

I am an assignee owning an undivided interest to the above original patent.

I assent to the accompanying application for reissue.

Attached is a "Statement under 37 C.F.R. section 3.73(b) -- Establishing Right of Assignee to Take Action."

McGill University

 (R.D. Brasinga)
Signature of person signing for assignee

Date: Nov. 13, 2000